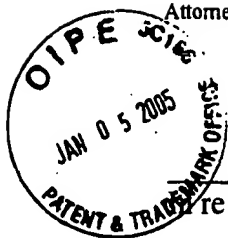


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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

SIR:

This is in response to the Final Rejection dated October 1, 2004, setting a shortened
statutory period for response on January 1, 2005 (Saturday). Please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.